

ARCO Polymers, Inc.
Port Arthur Plant
Post Office Box 848
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Telephone 713 983 2761



June 1, 1981

Certified Mail - Return Receipt Requested (5133312)

U. S. Environmental Protection Agency,
Region VI
1st International Building
1201 Elm Street
Dallas, TX 75270


ATTENTION: Sites Notification

Gentlemen:

RE: CERCLA - Section 103(c) Notification
ARCO Polymers
Port Arthur, Texas Plant

Attached is a completed EPA Form 8900-1, "Notification of Hazardous Waste Site" for the above facility. This submittal represents a good faith effort to report information required by Section 103(c) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980 with a reasonable degree of accuracy. Our submittal is based on knowledge or recollection of present employees or reasonably available records.

Very truly yours,


Tommy R. Turner
Plant Manager

ARCO Polymers Inc - Port Arthur

TRT:js

TXD 990 757 627

Attachments

cc: H. L. Davis	HAC-70
H. W. Gill	CS-3616
H. R. Heebner	HAC-24
D. S. Smallwood	NS-A2055
J. J. Zimmerman	NS-A2021
W. E. Jacobs	PA

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EPA Notification of Hazardous Waste Site

United States
Environmental Protection
Agency
Washington DC 20460

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8-11-81

This initial notification information is required by Section 103(c) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 and must be mailed by June 9, 1981.

Please type or print in ink. If you need additional space, use separate sheets of paper. Indicate the letter of the item which applies.

FOOTNOTE 1
THIS IS A 2000 FACTS REPORT TO REPORT THE REQUIRED INFORMATION WITH A REASONABLE DEGREE OF ACCURACY. THE INFORMATION PROVIDED IS BASED ON A PERSONAL KNOWLEDGE OR REVELATION OF PRESENT EMPLOYEES OR INDUSTRY AVAILABLE RECORDS.

Person Required to Notify:

Enter the name and address of the person or organization required to notify.

Name ARCO POLYMERS, INC. (A SUBSIDIARY OF ATLANTIC RICHFIELD)
Street 1500 MARKET STREET
City PHILADELPHIA State PA Zip Code 19101

Site Location: TXD 99-075-7627

Enter the common name (if known) and actual location of the site.

Name of Site ARCO Polymers, Inc.
Street South Most Extension of Texas FM 823 & Hwy. 73
City Port Arthur County Jefferson State TX Zip Code 77640

Person to Contact:

Enter the name, title (if applicable), and business telephone number of the person to contact regarding information submitted on this form.

Name (Last, First and Title) Jacobs, William - Chief Environmental Engineer
Phone (713) 983-2761, Ext. 180

Dates of Waste Handling: *SEE FOOTNOTE 2

Enter the years that you estimate waste treatment, storage, or disposal began and ended at the site.

From (Year) 1952 To (Year) 1967

Waste Type: Choose the option you prefer to complete

*SEE FOOTNOTE 2

Option 1: Select general waste types and source categories. If you do not know the general waste types or sources, you are encouraged to describe the site in Item I—Description of Site.

General Type of Waste:
Place an X in the appropriate boxes. The categories listed overlap. Check each applicable category.

Source of Waste:
Place an X in the appropriate boxes.

1. ☒ Organics
2. ☐ Inorganics
3. ☐ Solvents
4. ☐ Pesticides
5. ☐ Heavy metals
6. ☒ Acids
7. ☒ Bases
8. ☐ PCBs
9. ☐ Mixed Municipal Waste
10. ☐ Unknown
11. ☒ Other (Specify)

1. ☐ Mining
2. ☐ Construction
3. ☐ Textiles
4. ☐ Fertilizer
5. ☐ Paper/Printing
6. ☐ Leather Tanning
7. ☐ Iron/Steel Foundry
8. ☒ Chemical, General
9. ☐ Plating/Polishing
10. ☐ Military/Ammunition
11. ☐ Electrical Conductors
12. ☐ Transformers
13. ☐ Utility Companies
14. ☐ Sanitary/Refuse
15. ☐ Photofinish
16. ☐ Lab/Hospital
17. ☐ Unknown
18. ☐ Other (Specify)

Leakage Materials

Specific Type of Waste:

EPA has assigned a four-digit number to each hazardous waste listed in the regulations under Section 3001 of RCRA. Enter the appropriate four-digit number in the boxes provided. A copy of the list of hazardous wastes and codes can be obtained by contacting the EPA Region serving the State in which the site is located.

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FOOTNOTE 2
FROM STARTUP OF THE FACILITY IN 1962 UNTIL 1967, WASTES WERE PLACED IN A "BURN PIT" AND INCINERATED. THIS PIT WAS COVERED IN 1971. THE ABOVE WASTE TYPES ARE ASSIGNED TO HAVE BEEN DISPOSED AT THIS SITE BASED ON THE TYPE OF MANUFACTURING PROCESS. THE RECORDS SHOW THE QUANTITY OF MATERIAL SO DISPOSED DURING THIS PERIOD.

Notification of Hazardous Waste Site

Side Two

Waste Quantity:

Place an X in the appropriate boxes to indicate the facility types found at the site.

In the "total facility waste amount" space give the estimated combined quantity (volume) of hazardous wastes at the site using cubic feet or gallons.

In the "total facility area" space, give the estimated area size which the facilities occupy using square feet or acres.

Facility Type

1. ☐ Piles
2. ☐ Land Treatment
3. ☐ Landfill
4. ☐ Tanks
5. ☒ Impoundment (Footnote 3)
6. ☐ Underground Injection
7. ☐ Drums, Above Ground
8. ☐ Drums, Below Ground
9. ☒ Other (Specify) PIT
- ☒ Other (Specify) Leakage Area

Total Facility Waste Amount:

cubic feet Unknown

gallons _____

Total Facility Area

square feet Approx. 40,000 ft²

acres _____

Known, Suspected or Likely Releases to the Environment:

Place an X in the appropriate boxes to indicate any known, suspected, or likely releases of wastes to the environment.

☒ Unknown

☐ Known ☐ Suspected ☐ Likely ☐ None

Note: Items Hand I are optional. Completing these items will assist EPA and State and local governments in locating and assessing hazardous waste sites. Although completing the items is not required, you are encouraged to do so.

Sketch Map of Site Location: (Optional)

Sketch a map showing streets, highways, routes or other prominent landmarks near the site. Place an X on the map to indicate the site location. Draw an arrow showing the direction north. You may substitute a publishing map showing the site location.

Footnote 3 to Item F - Waste Quantity Comments

In August, 1980 the former EB neutralization pit was closed. The waste material, including impoundment bottom and side walls and all contaminated dirt surrounding the pit, was stabilized, excavated and disposed off-site at the Chemical Waste Management landfill. Although care was taken to remove all contaminated material, some residue may remain, which, if present, is not believed to be a risk to human health or the environment.

Description of Site: (Optional)

Describe the history and present conditions of the site. Give directions to the site and describe any nearby wells, springs, lakes, or housing. Include such information as how waste was disposed and where the waste came from. Provide any other information or comments which may help describe the site conditions.

Signature and Title:

The person or authorized representative (such as plant managers, superintendents, trustees or attorneys) of persons required to notify must sign the form and provide a mailing address (if different than address in item A). For other persons providing notification, the signature is optional. Check the boxes which best describe the relationship to the site of the person required to notify. If you are not required to notify check "Other".

Name

Tommy R. Turner

Street

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City

Port Arthur

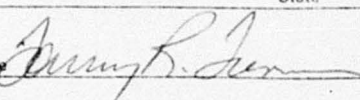
State

TX

Zip Code

77640

Signature



Date

2 June 81☐ Owner, Present☐ Owner, Past☐ Transporter☐ Operator, Present☒ Operator, Past☐ Other